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Homeseekers For Nevada

For the first time in the history of the state the Southern Pacific and the Western Pacific are going to confer a favor of some magnitude on the taxpayers by extending to prospective settlers inducements to come hither and cast their lot on lands that may be had for a tithe of what they are asking for similar acreage in states less favorably situated.

After the harvest moon has paled on the horizon and the festive granger doffs his overalls, oils his harvesting machinery for the winter storage and leaps jauntily into his forty-sixty motor car with a load of bullion for the nearest bank, the two railroad companies mentioned will have their agents in the field soliciting the attention of prospective buyers to the opportunities awaiting the man with a little spare money in good old Nevada. Millions of acres as fertile as any which God ever sprinkled on old Earth are open to settlement. They have been classified as "wild lands" because they have never been cultivated. The same might be said of the lands of Oregon, California and Utah, which, as late as five years ago, raised nothing more valuable than sage brush.

Land agents have a time honored maxim that where the black sage thrives the soil will raise the finest peaches and apples providing climatic conditions and the supply of water is not over-estimated. Where the elements are too bracing for the cultivation of orchards, wheat, barley, wheat and alfalfa yield enormously and the range country soon settles down to the fattening of beef and sheep instead of sacrificing scores of acres for the solitary benefit of a steer whose daily perambulations over the public domain waste flesh and shorten the income of the owner. For fifty years the railroad lands within the boundaries of Nevada have been held back to the detriment of the state, but a vigorous campaign instituted two years ago has resulted in interesting capital which expects to get its return from the subdivision of the baronies and principalities which have barred the settler and labeled the state with the stigma of the desert.

Agriculture has not kept pace with the mining notwithstanding the delusion that farms follow the mines. This has not been the case with Nevada which has had a Chinese wall of exclusion erected and maintained by the very interests which should have fostered development. A change has come over the dreams of investors. They see the rest of the country clamoring for farms and suddenly they awaken to an understanding of the undeniable fact that they have acreage sufficient for a million husbandmen right here on the main line of the chief transcontinental artery of the transportation world. It is a resurrection that will ring like the peal of Gabriel's trumpet through the eastern and northern states and summon their underpaid and overworked farmers to the land where golden tasseled wheat is already beginning to billow in the breezes which sweep the dormant valleys of Nevada.

Irrigating by pumping is not expensive. The alleged cost has proven a bugbear which has vanished with the test of experience and the result is that today Nevada is expanding the number of farms where electricity and gasoline are raising the life-giving fluid from depths of forty and sixty feet to bless the surface with their riches. How few residents of Nevada know anything of the artesian flow developed in Railroad valley, and how few even of those who know the truth can realize the significance of that discovery to the progress of the state? Nevada has had its mining booms and it is going to have other and greater mining booms with Tonopah for the hub of the excitement, but the one great boom which implies more for the common welfare than even the wealth of bonanza days, is the land boom which is on the threshold of breaking. One million dollars could easily be added to the production of Nevada without straining a point or absorbing one-tenth of the available farm lands. The people are coming through the instrumentality of the railroads which are employing their vast publicity departments in the preliminary work of the campaign for the making of a Greater Nevada.

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Washington Weekly News Letter

(By United Press)

WASHINGTON, July 30. — Former Solicitor General Lehman of the department of justice, is telling a story of how former Senator Lorimer kept Lehman on the government payroll, although the Illinoisan could not stay there himself. For a week after Lehman resigned, Lorimer forced Lehman to hold his position and draw his salary, although Lehman was anxious to leave Washington.

Protraction of the Lorimer case in the senate caused Lehman's troubles. Lehman turned in his resignation just about the time the Lorimer debate began in the senate. President Taft then appointed Solicitor General Bullitt of Kentucky to fill Lehman's place. By that time the Lorimer debate was in full swing. Lorimer himself took the floor for three days.

While the Lorimer case had the right of way in the senate, Bullitt's nomination could not be confirmed by the senate. For a solid week Lehman sat anxiously in the senate gallery, listening to the Lorimer debate, and "rooting" for its finish, so that Bullitt could be confirmed.

In ordering the exclusion from the United States of absinthe, the "green devil," the government is following the lead of Switzerland which about a year ago decided to prohibit the drink and also placed the ban on its manufacture. The agitation in Switzerland was widespread. The forces that opposed the prohibition law were also very active because the suppression of the industry meant a big loss to them.

Now the pure food and drug board, through Secretary Wilson of the department of agriculture, has issued an edict that no more absinthe shall be imported into this country after October 1, and in a short time the treasury will make this effective by issuing specific orders to all collectors of customs and port officials that they shall allow no more absinthe to be imported after the date named by the pure food and drug board.

Very little agitation has been heard in Washington regarding absinthe. American drinkers never have taken kindly to the drug as a beverage and the big temperance interests seem to have reserved their fire for alcoholic beverages, which are much more popular.

Consul C. L. Williams, from Shantung, China, sends in word that the recent edict in China which commands that all queues be severed, has rather upset the market in that country for barbers' supplies. There is somewhat of a tendency to do away with barbers altogether, although barbers, the consul adds, never did thrive particularly well. Itinerants were the rule rather than the exception, tonsorial artists who carried their kits about with them and who never went to the trouble

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